GOVERNMENT OF ANDHRA PRADESH
ABSTRACT

Revenue (Disaster Management) Department - Drought – South West Monsoon 2018 – Kharif (early season) – 2018 - Declaration of additional 14 Mandals as Severe Drought affected and 2 Mandals as Moderate Drought affected in Prakasam District - Orders – Issued.

REVENUE [DM.II] DEPARTMENT

G.O.MS.No. 8 **Dated: 31-08-2018**

Read the Following:-

1. G.O.Rt.No.267, Revenue (DM.II) Department, dt. 29.10.2013.
2. Letter Nos.12021/6/2018/DM.II/A1/2018, dated: 05.07.2018, 25.07.2018 & 03.08.2018 of Spl Commissioner, Disaster Management & EOJS to Govt.
3. Reports received from the District Collectors of Krishna, Guntur, Prakasam, Nellore, Chittoor, Ananthapuramu, YSR Kadapa, Kurnool and Srikakulam.
4. Minutes of the Meeting of the Committee on Drought held on 08.08.2018.
5. G.O Ms No.6, Revenue (DM.II) Dept., Dt.08.08.2018.
6. Lr. Comp. No.D4/153950/2018, dated.14.08.2018, from the District collector, Prakasam.
7. Minutes of the meeting of the Committee on Drought held on16.08.2018.

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O R D E R :

In the reference 5th read above, Govt. declared 275 Mandals as Drought affected – 274 Mandals categorized as Severe Drought and 01 Mandal as Moderate Drought - in Six (6) Districts i.e Prakasam (40 Severe), Nellore (45 Severe), Chittoor (58 Severe), Ananthapuramu (44 Severe), YSR Kadapa (50 Severe & 1 Moderate) and Kurnool (37 Severe) during kharif (Early season) – 2018.

2. In the reference 6th read above, the District Collector, Prakasam has submitted proposals for additional 16 Mandals for declaration as Drought affected during kharif (Early season) – 2018.

3. The Committee constituted in the reference 1st read above, has met on 16.08.2018 and scrutinized the proposals submitted by the District Collector, Prakasam for declaration as Drought affected Mandals during kharif (Early season) – 2018 and opined that decision in this regard may be taken by the Government.

4. Government after careful examination of the report furnished by the District Collector, Prakasam in the reference 6th read above and recommendations of the Committee on Drought in the reference 7th read above, it is decided to issue a Notification (ANNEXURE-I) for declaration of 16 additional Mandals also [as in Annexure-II] – 14 Mandals categorized as severe Drought and 2 Mandals as moderate Drought in Prakasam District in addition to the 275 Mandals declared earlier as Drought affected in the reference 5th read above. Thus the total Mandals declared as drought affected in the State are 291 (275+16), during kharif (Early season) – 2018.

5. The District Collector, Prakasam shall ensure deletion of the notified municipal/urban areas and areas falling under permanent assured irrigation sources. Urban Mandals which are not declared as drought affected, shall be treated on par with drought affected Mandals for the purpose of drinking water. The District Collector concerned shall issue the notification in the District Gazette as mentioned in Annexure-I & II in Telugu and take immediate further necessary action.

6. The Commissioner and Director of Printing, Stationery and Stores Purchase (Printing Wing), Andhra Pradesh shall publish the notification in the extra-ordinary issue of Andhra Pradesh Gazette dated.01/09/2018.

7. This order issued with the concurrence of Finance (FMU-Rev) Department vide their U.O No. 45022/81/2018 Computer No. 594766, Dt.31.08.2018.

(BY ORDER AND IN THE NAME OF THE GOVERNOR OF ANDHRA PRADESH)

DR. MANMOHAN SINGH
SPECIAL CHIEF SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT

To
The District Collector, Prakasam

The District Treasury Officer, Prakasam
The Commissioner & Director of Printing Stationery & Stores Purchase, A.P. Vijayawada.
The Special Chief Secretary to Government, Agriculture & Cooperation Department
The Director of Treasuries & Accounts, A.P.
The Special Chief Secretary & Chief Commissioner of Land Administration, A.P.
The Special Chief Secretary to Government, Planning Department.
The Special Chief Secretary to Government, Finance Department.
The Prl.Chief Conservator of Forests, A.P, Guntur.
The Prl.Secretary to Government, Animal Husbandry Dairy Development & Fisheries Dept.
The Prl.Secretary to Government, MA & UD Department.
The Prl.Secretary to Government, PR & RD Department.
The Prl.Secretary to Government, RWS & S Department.
The Prl.Secretary to Government, Women Development & Child Welfare Deptt.
The Director NRSC, Balanagar, Hyderabad.
The Director of IMD, Begumpet, Hyderabad.
The Director, Agro Climate Research Centre Agriculture Research Institute, ANGRAU.
The Director of Economics & Statistics, A.P, Vijayawada.
The Commissioner of I&PR Dept. with a request to issue press note to electronic and print media.
The Commissioner, Civil Supplies & Ex. Officio Secretary to Government.
The Special Commissioner, Agriculture, A.P, Guntur.
The Commissioner of Horticulture, A.P, Guntur.
The Commissioner & Director of Municipal Administration, A.P.
The Commissioner, Rural Development.
The Commissioner, Panchayat Raj Department,
The Commissioner & Director of School Education,
The Commissioner & Director of Intermediate Education,
The Commissioner, Higher Education,
The Managing Director, A.P. State Civil Supplies Corporation.
The Managing Director, APTRANSCO.
The Director, Animal Husbandry, A.P.
The Director, Health Department, A.P.
The Director, State Audit.
The Director, Groundwater, Department.
The Chief Executive Officer, APSDPS.
The Engineer-in-Chief, Public Health, A.P.
The Engineer-in-Chief, Panchayat Raj, A.P.
The Engineer-in-Chief, Rural Water Supply, A.P.
The Chief Engineer, Public Health, A.P.

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All the Spl. Chief Secretaries/Principal Secretaries in the CM's Office.
The Accountant General, A.P. Hyderabad.
The Agriculture & Cooperation Department.
The Education Department.
The Energy Department.
The Animal Husbandry & Fisheries Department.
The PR&RD (RWS.I, II, III & RD.I, II, III) Department.
The Managing Director, APCOB.
The Finance (FMU-Rev-IC) Department.
The Convener, A.P. State Level Banker's Committee, Andhra Bank, Saifabad, Hyd.
The Managing Director, NABARD, Hyderabad.
The General Administration (Cabinet) Department.
The P.S to Dy. CM (Home & DM)
The P.S. to Dy CM. (Revenue)
The P.S. to Minister (Finance).
The P.S. to Minister (Agriculture)
The P.S. to Chief Secretary to Government.
The P.S. to Spl. Chief Secretary to Government, Revenue Department.
The Revenue (DM Accounts. I) Department, A.P. Secretariat.
The P.S. to Commissioner, Disaster Management & Ex-officio Secretary to Government.
The Spl. Commissioner, SDMA, Revenue (DM) Department.

//FORWARDED ::BY ORDER//

SECTION OFFICER

ANNEXURE-I

(G.O. Ms. No.8, REVENUE (DM.II) DEPT, Dt.31.08.2018

NOTIFICATION

In the circumstances reported by the District Collector, Prakasam, the Government hereby declare that Drought exists during the South – West Monsoon – 2018 (early season drought in kharif) in 16 Mandals - Severe Drought in 14 mandals and Moderate Drought in 02 mandals – in Prakasam District annexed to this order as per the guidelines prescribed by Government of India revised manual for Drought Management - 2016. The District Collector, Prakasam shall take necessary further action and notify the specific Mandals/specific areas in the Mandal in the District Gazette to enable farmers to avail credit facilities and to take up relief operations. The District Collector shall ensure deletion of the notified Municipal/Urban areas and areas falling under permanent assured irrigation sources from drought affected Mandals and only for the purpose of drinking water, these shall be treated on par with drought affected Mandals.

The District Collector, Prakasam is requested to furnish (10) copies of the District Gazette Notification to the Government.

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ANNEXURE – II

DECLARED AS DROUGHT AFFECTED MANDALS

(GO Ms. No.8, Revenue (DM.II) Dept., dt.31.08.2018)

PRAKASAM DISTRICT			
Sl.No.	**Severe**	**Sl.No.**	**Moderate**
1	(1) Chirala	1	(1) Bestavaripeta
2	(2) Giddalur	2	(2) Racherla
3	(3) Kanigiri		
4	(4) Komarole		
5	(5) Maddipadu		
6	(6) Martur		
7	(7) N.G.Padu		
8	(8) Parchur		
9	(9) Pullalacheruvu		
10	(10) S.Magulur		
11	(11) Ulavapadu		
12	(12) Vetapalem		
13	(13) Y.Palem		
14	(14) Yaddanapudi		

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